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For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE AND
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

TRANSMITTAL OF REISSUE APPLICATION

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR §§ 1.171 et seq., the undersigned submits herewith the following papers in connection with the filing of an application for reissue of the captioned patent:

- (1) Abstract (1 page), specification and claims (14 pages).
- (2) Drawings (8 sheets).
- (3) Priority Claim for Reissue Application.
- (4) Assent of Assignee
- (5) Offer of Surrender of Original Patent.
- (6) Order for Title Report.

As will be evident from a forthcoming Declaration, this reissue application is filed in view of Applicants' claim that the captioned application is wholly or partially

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inoperative by reason of the patentees claiming less than they had a right to claim in the patent, e.g., in claim 1.

In view of the fact that Applicants are not submitting concurrently with the application filing a Declaration and fees, Applicants expect to receive a Notice To File Missing Parts indicating the fee amount due and requesting the Declaration. However, if any fees are necessary to obtain the February 2, 2001 filing date, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the undersigned's deposit account no. 14-1140 in whatever amount is necessary for the filing, processing, and continued pendency of this reissue application.

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